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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Re: Application of Henning BULOW  
ADAPTIVE CHROMATIC DISPERSION COMPENSATOR  
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Our Ref. Q76516

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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 17 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 2 sheets of drawings, an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Application Data Sheet and an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>11</u>	- 20	=	<u>          </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>          </u>	\$0.00
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Base Fee									\$750.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>									<b>\$750.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment									\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>									<b>\$790.00</b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$750.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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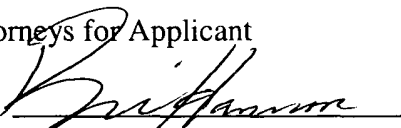
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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

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